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Sir:

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOVEMBER 17, 2006  
OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is submitted in response to a November 17, 2006 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. The November 17, 2006 Office Action provides a period of three months for filing a response. Therefore, a response was originally due February 17, 2007. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). The fee for a three-month extension of time is \$510.00 for a small entity, and such status is applicable to this application. A check for that amount is enclosed. With a three-month extension of time, a response to the February 20, 2006 Notice is due May 17, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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